WEATHER—Fair tonight. Sunday increasing cloudiness. Not much change in temperature.

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Auto Accident on River Road

California Normal Defeated

RELATIVES BELIEVE LORD MAYOR MACSWINEY IS DEAD

Racing Auto Dashes Into Two Houses

A wild auto race down the Webster road shortly after the midnight hour resulted disastrously not only for the occupants of the racing machines, but also the residents of two houses in the little mining town who were rudely awakened from their slumbers when one of the machines dashed into the houses, knocking one from its foundation, while the other had practically the entire side knocked off, a huge hole being made in two rooms

According to a story told the reporter, the driver of a Buick car bearing license No 10254 and the owner of a Nash car bearing license No. 283023 were attending a banquet of the American Legion in Donora last evening and an argument arose as to the speed of the two cars and the drivers agreed to settle the argument with a race on the river road

Edgar Jenkins was driving the Buick and in an attempt to pass the Nash being driven by an engineer on the Donora Southern railroad, he sideswiped the car in front and the impact sent him from the road into a house just at the entrance to Webster He evidently lost control of the car which again went on the road, sideswiping the Nash again, and then went off the road into another house, terrifying the occupants. The Buick was completely demolished while the Nash had a broken running board. One of the occupants of the Buick was thrown from the car when it struck the second house and it required four stitches to close the wound in his head The driver of the Buick and one other passenger miraculously escaped serious injury.

Passing autoists brought the occupants of the Buick to this city, and the entire village of Webster was awakened by the screams of the terrified occupants of the two houses who rushed out of the buildings, following the collision. The Buick was a complete wreck, even the engine being bent and broken.

Wealthy Pastor Shot

(By United Press)

Chicago, Oct. 23—Frederick Sextro wealthy manager of a coal company here, admitted today, police said he shot and killed Frederick Ruff, pastor of the Memorial Methodist church in the exclusive North Shore district and owner of several large apartment buildings.

Sextro, when taken to the Rogers Park police station declared he mistook the pastor for a burglar when he met him in the hallway.

Sextro occupied an apartment above the one in which the pastor and his family lived According to information given police Sextro was among the many tenants of buildings owned by the pastor who had quarreled with Rev. Ruff recently because of large increases in rent.

Ruff was shot once in the chest.

According to the story told Lieut. Martin O'Malley by Sextro, Ruff apparently had passed by his own apartment and went up to the second floor where the Sextros live. The pastor according to the story told by his children, was preparing for a day's outing at Melvin, Ill. and went back to lock the doors while his wife and three children sat in front in an auto.

Instead of stopping at the first floor where he lived, Sextro said the pastor came up to the second floor.

"I heard some one fumbling around at our door with keys" Sextro said. "The apartment of Hiram White, who lives on the third floor, had been robbed a few nights ago and we were all anxious about burglars.

"When my wife and I listened to the noise at the door for a few seconds I went and got my revolver and threw the door open. I saw a dark form in the hallway.

"Who are you? I demanded. There was no answer. I shot once and the body fell to the floor and rolled down the stairs to the first landing. As the body was rolling, I caught a glimpse of the man's face and it was then that I realized who I had shot".

Police were unable to find a logical explanation of why Ruff had gone to the second floor instead of stopping at his own apartment. The theory was advanced that he might have absentmindedly walked past his own door.

Sextro denied he had quarreled with the pastor over rents

Following his preliminary examination, police held Sextro for further questioning.

President to Speak

Washington, Oct. 23—President Wilson's next campaigning speech on the League of Nations will be issued next Wednesday morning when he will address a delegation of Independent Republicans headed by Hamilton Holt.

(By United Press)

Erie, Pa., Oct. 23—Dan sprung an unusual stunt here when Paul J. Kowalski 23 took out a license to marry his aunt, Stella Kowalski 29, widow of Paul's father's brother.

Silver Wedding

A pretty social event of the week was the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hill of Knox avenue on Friday evening The affair was planned in the form of a dinner party, covers being laid for thirty five and at 7 o'clock the couple marched into the dining room to the strains of the the wedding march played by Miss Beatrice Conway, violin and Miss Regina Conway at the piano. After dinner music, dancing and cards were the diversion The home was beautifully decorated with red roses and white chrysanthemums. Mr. and Mrs. Hill were the recipients of many beautiful pieces of silver in honor of the occasion. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Donahue, and Miss Kathryn Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shiefer, Mr and Mrs. P. J. Malley and Miss Kathryn Malley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheridan, Mrs. Kathryn McCormack and Mrs. Mary McCormack, and Jos. Rush and F. C. Rush, all of Pittsburgh, and a son, John Hill of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr and Mrs Samuel Conway, Mrs. Camella Treasure and daughter Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Thos Burns, Mr and Mrs. Jos. Cutter and Misses Beatrice and Regina Conway, Amelia Patrick, Margaret and Irene Dyer and Harold Dyer.

Special Services

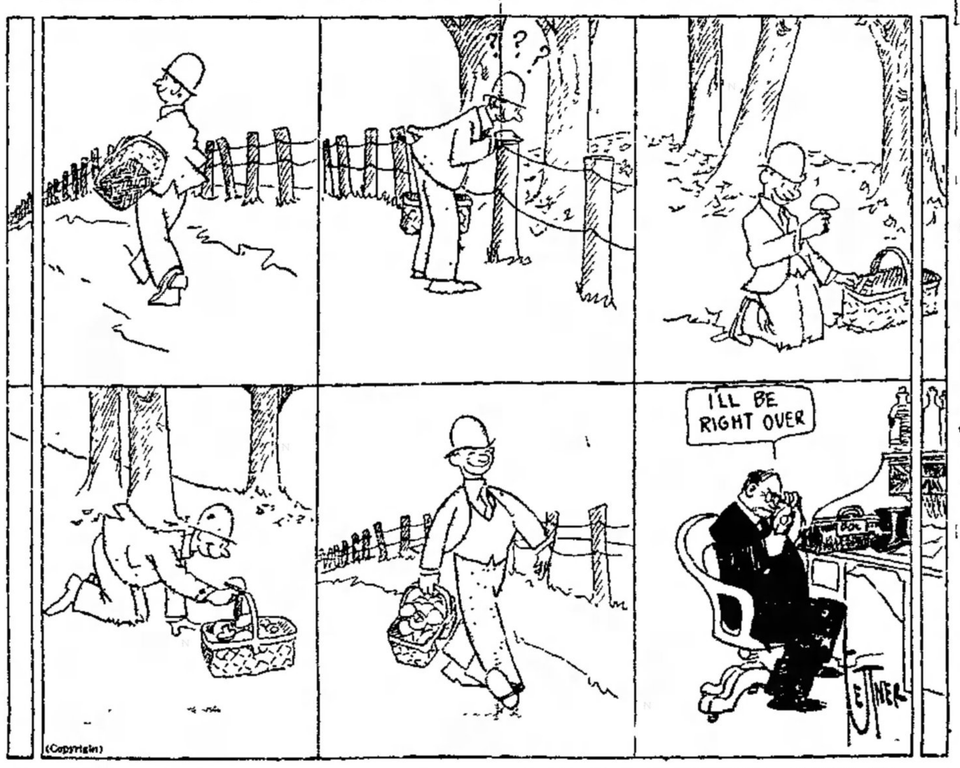
A service of a special nature will be held in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. Paul A. Weidley, pastor, at the hour of the morning service, 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The Sunday School at a recent meeting elected the following persons as officers for the ensuing year:

Superintendent of Adult Department ..... Mr. C. H. Dils
Asst. Superintendent of Adult Department . Miss Mabel Johnson
Asst. Secretary ..Miss Mildred Smith
Treasurer ... Mr Irain Hagerty
Pianist ..... Miss Mry Myer
Asst Pianists.....Miss Grace Falk
..... Miss Ruth Smith
Superintendent of Primary Department .. .. Mrs. Frank Lear
Asst. Supt. of Primary Department ..... Miss Grace Falk

At the hour of the morning church service, a series of installations will be held inducting these persons into their respective offices. The entire services will be devoted to Sunday School work The pastor will preach a sermon on "The Importance of Religious Instruction in the Sunday School" It will be of interest to Sunday School officers teachers, and all other workers in the School.

At 7:45 p. m. the pastor will preach a supplementary sermon on the theme, "The Importance of Religious Instruction in the Home" All persons having no church home are cordially invited to worship with us.

The End of a Perfect Day



HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONS BATTER DOWN DEFENSE OF HEAVY NORMAL PLAYERS

Yesterday for the third successive time the champion High School team representing this city on the gridiron piled up a total of 23 points on the visitors whom they held scoreless. The victims yesterday were the heavy California Normal boys, and despite their weight they proved powerless against the strong attacks of the well trained warriors of the local school. Coach Townsend and his proteges on getting a glimpse of the visitors when they appeared on the field, held little hopes for a victory, but with that determination that has given them two well earned victories they went into the fray with the intention of at least holding them to a low score The Normay boys kicked off and right off the reel the locals carried the ball for thirty yards in the two downs only to lose the ball on a fumble. California, however, found the High school line impregnable and not only failed to gain a yard but time and again were thrown for heavy losses and were forced to kick The locals started a march down the field that soon netted them their first score, and at the end of the first half they had scored twice and kicked a goal, following one touchdown.

In the second half the locals used a number of substitutes, all of whom gave a good account of themselves and ran up a total of 15 more points with two touchdowns and a touchback, which resulted when the locals broke through and tackled a California Normal man behind the local goal

It was the best exhibition the locals have given on the home grounds, their defensive tactics being of such a nature that the visitors found it almost impossible to make a first down and never was the local goal in danger

It would be an injustice to pick out an individual star of the game as the entire team played like veterans and their tackling was indeed a pretty exhibition while the line plunging of the backs was a feature which resulted in practically all the points.

Monessen certainly has a High school team of which it can be justly proud, and one that will be a contender for the W. P. I. A. L. championship. The next game will be played on the local grounds Saturday when the Donora team will be the attraction. The Donora team held last year's local aggregation to a low score and are coming here confident of a victory, and Coach Townsend will put his boys through a strenuous week of practice in order that instead of a victory the visitors will be given an overwhelming defeat. The lineup of the teams yesterday was as follows:

Monessen---28		California---9
Hanlon, ...	le.....	Oravis
Parnelli	lt.....	Saylor
Dudas	lg.....	Adams
Lebowitz ..	c.....	Sismondo
Myford	rg.....	Iams
Layton	rt.....	Dornan
P Pillette ..	re.....	Gault
Hannigan	qb.....	McCreery
Schrading	lh.....	Hartley
Schmidt ..	rh.....	Mils
Veschio	fb.....	Channing

Touchdowns---Veschio, Schrading, Schmidt, Hannigan. Goals from touchdown---Lebowitz 2; touchback. Monessen. Substitutions---Fitzgerald Dalton, Smith, Anderson, Marsden, J Pillette, Cober, Hileman, Calhoun. Graff. Referee---Carlson; umpire---Ashe. Head linesman---Line.

Suspect Under Arrest

(By United Press)

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23---A man believed to be William Brines, who is wanted for the murder of Elmer C. Drews, a student at Dartmouth, was under arrest at Elkton, Md. The sheriff of Cecil county, Maryland, wired local authorities that the man was taken from the train near Perryville, Md., when he was acting suspicious. He had a scar on his right hand and two above his right ankle and answered the description of Brines Detectives were sent to identify the man, who denies he is Brines but stated tha this name was Harry Layton He refused to divulge his home or anything about his relatives and stated that he was in Philadelphia Friday but would not tell where he had been between that time and the time he took the train at Oxford for Perryville.

Fugitives Captured

(By United Press)

Ossining, N. Y Oct. 23—After a week of liberty featured by a wild ride through four states in stolen automobiles, George Stivers and Marcus Bassett were back in Sing Sing prison today

The two prisoners who escaped last Saturday after beating three guards into insensibility were captured late yesterday by two members of a farmer's posse at Tory Hill, near Warner, N H

They submitted to a search without resistance but the excited men overlooked an automatic pistol in Bassett's pocket

During a twenty-mile ride from Warner to Concord where the men were placed in the hands of the authorities Bassett didn't move to reveal the pocket where his gun was hidden

Postponed Strike

(By United Press)

London, Oct 23---The threatened strike of railway employes in Great Britain which was to become effective tomorrow at midnight was called off this afternoon, following a conference of the executive board of railway officials The postponement will be effective until after negotiations have been completed with government officials.

Issues Proclamation

(By United Press)

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 23---Governor Sproul today issued a proclamation setting October 27 as Roosevelt Day Arbor Day and Bird day in the state of Pennsylvania.

Sisters Join MacSwiney in Hunger Strike

(By United Press)

London, Oct. 23---Relatives of Lord Mayor MacSwiney fear he is dead and that the officials of Brixton prison are suppressing the fact, according to a statement by his brother, Peter MacSwiney of New York, this afternoon.

Annie and Mary MacSwiney, sisters of Lord Mayor MacSwiney, whose death was expected momentarily, joined him in his hunger strike today. Their action followed exclusion by officials of Brixton prison from his bedside, because, it was explained they might interfere with the forcible feeding of the lord mayor.

Peter, leaving the prison, said the authorities had refused permission for any of his relatives to see the lord mayor since six o'clock.

Mary and Annie MacSwiney, the lord mayor's sisters and father Dominic, his chaplain, emerged shortly before Peter and explained the official had not allowed them to remain at MacSwiney's bedside, although his wife had been granted this privilege.

The home office later informed the United Press that the sisters were excluded from the prison on the ground they might interfere with physicians feeding MacSwiney during his period of delirium.

Girl Missing

Ruth Welling, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S R. Welling of Ellsworth, has been mysteriously missing from her home since last Friday, October 8. A continuous search for her has been conducted by her father, and the mother is practically prostrated from grief.

No reason can be advanced by members of the Welling family for Ruth's disappearance. Quiet, even to the point of being shy, she was apparently contented. Until a short time ago she was employed as telephone operator.

Leaving home on Friday before last, the girl said she was going to Bentleyville to buy a pair of shoes. At Bentleyville she took a car for Charleroi. She is known to have left the car there, but that was the last trace found by the searching father

When she left home the girl wore a turban-like hat covered with all-over bronze. She wore a brown polo coat with a gray Angora collar and cuffs. Her skirt was a green and black plaid. Her height is about five feet four inches Being slender in build, her weight is probably about 110 pounds.

Moose Smoker

The Moose Smoker tonight promises to furnish no end of thrilling amusement for fight fans when Young Borland of McKeesport, meets Young Johnson of Latrobe Both boys report fit and well and each is confident of putting the other away before the end of the feature bout of sixx rounds they are scheduled to go. Many surprises may be expected in the other three boxing bouts. Several shifty aspirants of the noble art are on the program. Digger Stanley will referee all bouts. The remainder of the program, speakers and entertainers will be on hand.

The exceptionally large crowd anticipated to be present is sure to enjoy the varied form of entertainment. The committee in charge again insures members and their friends that this night will be of the customary high standard, declaring each succeeding effort will be better than the previous one. Their final word is to come and enjoy a very pleasant evening among a very pleasant bunch. Program starts at 7:30 sharp.

Republican Rally

A big Republican rally is scheduled for this evening at North Belle Vernon when the voters of the borough will hear the issues of the day discussed by prominent orators, chief among whom will be Attorney A. M Wyant, Republican candidate for Congress The meeting will be an open air affair opposite the Verdi theatre

Thursday evening of next week a Hallowe'en costume dance will be held at the Monongahela Valley Country club for the members Merrill's Bellhops orchestra of Portsmouth Ohio, will furnish the music.

Held for Court

Chief Albright and Patrolman Murphy of Charleroi arrested Ovidia Costello of 306 Crest avenue, better known as "Chicken," on a charge of highway robbery, and he was given a hearing before Justice R. J. Whitehead last evening. The prosecutor was P. J. Mellried of Charleroi, who was held up and robbed on Sunday night, October 10th, at 8 o'clock, as he was on his way to work in the Pittsburgh Steel mill.

The Charleroi officers have been following clues to the robbery for several days and on Wednesday believed they had sufficient evidence against the man to warrant his arrest. He was taken to the police station and Mr. McIlried summoned. The latter had stated to the police immediately after the hold-up had taken place that he knew the man by sight but did not know his name and would be able to recognize him.

When Mr. McIlried saw Costello at the police station last evening he immediately recognized him and said he was the man who had robbed him. An information followed before Justice Whitehead and a hearing held. Wm. Armbruster, who was held up on the night of the 15th on Fifth street in front of the Fifth street school building, was present at the hearing but could not positively identify the man. He said Costello looked very much like him, but on the night of the hold-up the robber had a blue handkerchief over his face. McIrried, however, was positive in his identification and the Justice held the accused in $1,000 bail for his appearance at the next term of criminal court, the bond being furnished by Arthur Francisconi. During the testimony it developed that since 1917 Costello had worked in many places and that he had been employed only about half time.

Vote on Amendments

In addition to voting for president, judges of the supreme and superior court, U. S. Senator, State treasurer, auditor general, assemblymen, state senator and congressmen on November second, two proposed amendments to the state constitution will be voted upon. The first amendment will give the general assembly the power by general law to provide for the incorporation of banks and trust companies and to prescribe the powers therof and the second amendment will enable the city of Philadelphia to incur an indebtedness of not more than 10 per cent upon the assessed value of its taxable property. Other cities, counties boroughs, townships, school districts etc., shall not exceed seven per cent of the assessed valuation of property.

Five marks will be necessary for a voter voting the straight ticket, that in the first column, one each for the non-partisan judicial tickets and one for each for the proposed amendments.

Miss Stella Safier gave a surprise Hallowe'en party last evening in honor of Miss Gertrude Isenberg at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Nathan Isenberg on McKee avenue. About fifty young guests were present in fancy costume and enjoyed a pleasant evening and a dainty lunch was served.

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REPUBLICAN IN POLITICS

NEED FOR LEADERSHIP

In these times of social unrest and class and industrial warfare the people feel their need of wise leadership more than ever before. In the past the United States has been blessed with great men who have had clear insight and sound judgment. The men who framed this form of government were matchless in far sighted wisdom. Hardly in the history of the world would you find a group of men with such gifts of leadership, able to build political institutions that should survive the shocks of time for so many years.

There is in the present times no lack of attempted leadership. The newspapers, the soap boxes, the political campaigns, the halls of legislation, are forums in which innumerable people attempt to solve the new problems of these times. But it is very easy to tell what should be done theoretically, and very difficult to frame a program that the mass of the people will assent to and follow.

As the issues of those new days shape themselves, one has faith to believe that history will repeat itself and worthy leaders will arise and help us solve the economic and industrial problems of the times.

Some one will be big and broad enough to show capital and labor how they can gain more by working together than by fighting each other. Some one will show the way to abolish the pestilential slums of the cities, to reduce poverty to a minimum, and place education within reach of every child.

Those who aspire to lead the nation in solving these problems will need enthusiasm for humanity, and practical familiarity with the hard facts of life. The world is sick of idealists who know little about real life, and of materialists who are perfectly satisfied with the world as it is.

PROPERTY RIGHTS

Many people look at property rights as if in some way they were opposed to human rights. But property rights were established because they benefitted humanity. If a man was allowed to collect what property he could by lawful industry, it was an incentive for him to save money and to serve the people well. When he saved money, he accumulated a fund which could be used to create industrial plants and railroads and all the machinery of modern production. The more he saved and invested in such enterprises, the more the general public prospered.

If he saved a large property, it was commonly because he had been exceptionally efficient in some business. He had been able to produce some commodity cheaper than other people, so that he could sell large quantities of it at a profit. His gain was for the benefit of the people.

If property rights are taken away, as they have been in Russia, you stop rewarding thrift and industry and enterprise. No one any longer has any motive for practicing economy, or for developing superior skill and efficiency.

If exceptional efficiency is not recognized, humanity sinks down to a dead level. It is the best policy for all, to allow special rewards for efficiency and skill, as these qualities are used in service of the public and benefit everybody.

The nations of the world that are run on a communistic basis never make any advance. If the right to hold property and to keep safely what one has obtained by honest means, is not maintained, enterprise is checked, no incentive is given to anyone for superior service to the public. But when the right of private property is carefully upheld, people compete to see which shall serve the public the best.

The people who think that a college education amounts to nothing, might explain that eighteen out of 28 American presidents were college men.

In spite of all the sacrifices made to acquire freedom and the blessings of good government for this country, you would have to get out a search warrant and writ of habeas corpus to induce some people to go to the polls.

When corn is high the farmers can't make any money because feed costs so much, and when corn is low the farmers can't make anything because they may lose on their principal crop.

Women voters are hereby notified that they can't change their vote the day after election, even if they do change their minds.

There are a lot of men who would never change their minds about voting, as they haven't any to change

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Big registration at the colleges makes it clear there will be no lack of baseball players.

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The Time of Heather.

The moors are purple with heather or—more scientifically speaking—with ling, for by this time the real bell heather is pretty nearly over.

Heathers of different kinds inhabit the high moorlands all the world over, in America, Africa and Asia, as well as in Europe. Our own ling may be seen flourishing in Newfoundland and also in New England.

Most people regard heather simply from the aesthetic standpoint, and never give a thought to its varied uses. But every year there is much cutting of heather for the purpose of broom making. Heather again, is an excellent material for thatching purposes, and properly put on a heather thatch will last a century.—John o' London's Weekly.

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Julius and Israel Golden of Fredericktown, have filed a suit against Louis Collins, a merchant of Charleroi, to recover $25,000 damages for alleged breach of contract.

Mr. Collins owns the big store on Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi and the Goldens allege that on May 27 they entered into an agreement for the purchase of the good will and goods, but after starting an inventory, it is alleged, Mr. Collins refused to proceed and has since failed to carry out his part of the agreement. The plaintiffs say they are ready and willing to carry out their part of the contract.

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Local and Personal Items of Interest

There is no charge for items contributed to this column of the going and coming of people or social happenings. Call 53.

Miss Annie Petrusky of Schoonmaker avenue, spent the day in Pittsburgh.

Miss Lucille Jackman and Miss Jo McGregor of Monongahela City, were local visitors last evening.

Miss Elva Owens and Miss Marion Reamer are attending the Pitt-Georgia Tech football game in Pittsburgh this afternoon.

Mrs. John Duvall entertained the Afternoon and Evening Bridge clubs at her home on Fourth street last evening.

Gold fish with special assortments at baragain prices at Skurkay's drug store, Fifth street. 16-tf

A. E. Thomas and W. R. Stephens attended a meeting of the bankers association in Washington, D. C. this week.

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Miss Mary Sheridan who has been visiting with her mother on Knox avenue, returned to Washington, D. C. yesterday.

Just received fresh Green County butter, 70c lb. Central Confectionery, 513 Schoonmaker ave. 6-tf-

A good oyster supper and a good time at the Christian church, Thursday, Oct. 28. Tickets 50 cents. Get yours now. 1t

The Musical Auxiliary will entertain with a masquerade party Wednesday of next week at the home of Miss Elsie Janavitz.

SEX. is here. See Louise Glaum in "Sex Crushed to Earth," at the Star theatre Tuesday and Wednesday. 16-3t

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sears of Belle Vernon, left this morning to spend the winter months at Orlando, Fla.

The Eureka class of the Baptist church will hold a bake sale Saturday from 2 to 5 in Eddy's drug store on Donner avenue. 16-2tp

Officers and teachers of the St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school were entertained last evening at the home of C. H. Dils on McKee avenue.

Miss Catherine Lermann and Miss Marcella McGinley left this morning to spend the week-end with Miss Ruth Lermann, a student at Allegheny college.

Everybody's going to the Oyster Supper at the First Christian church, October 28. Get your ticket now and be on time. Supper served from 6 to 8 o'clock.

SEX. is here. See Louise Glaum in "Sex Crushed to Earth," at the Star theatre Tuesday and Wednesday. 16-3t

The Belle Vernon Sterlings will open their season tomorrow when they travel to Brownsville to meet the American Legion team of that place.

Moose and their friends are invited to the semi-monthly smoker at the Moose Temple tomorrow night, when four good bouts will be staged. 16-2t

Remember the date, October 28, and don't forget the Oyster Supper at the Christian church. Get your ticket now or buy one at the door. It burgh.

Mrs. D. J. Herron of Monongahela City, entertained about thirty friends at cards last evening at the Country Club. Lunch was served by the club caterer.

Good boxing bouts, vaudeville entertainers and music will feature the semi-montaly smoker at the Moose Temple tomorrow evening. All Moose and friends are invited. 16-2t

According to word received from the Mercy hospital, Mrs. P. P. Bush of this city who recently underwent an operation is getting along nicely and expects to return home in the near future.

Young Boriand of McKeesport and Young Johnson of Latrobe will meet in the main bout at Moose smoker tomorrow night. There will be three other good bouts. Moose and their friends are invited. 16-2t

Mrs. Fred Braun of Reed avenue, returned home last evening from McKesport, where she has been for the past week with Mr. Braun, who underwent an operation at the hospital in that city. Mr. Braun is now on a fair road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Shuster and son Albert, and Editor and Mrs. H. R. Fore and sons, Junior and Billy left this morning by auto for Baltimore, where they will spend several days with Miss Rhudell Shuster who is attending school at the Maryland College for women.

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MONDAY—Edith Storey in "MOON MADNESS". Also Marie Walcamp in "The Dragon's Net".

SPECIAL TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—J. Parker Reid, Jr. presents Miss Louise Glaum in the superior production entitled "SEX, CRUSHED TO EARTH". The most costly and most lavish picture that has appeared in this city. Miss Glaum wears over $500,000 in gowns. A seven part production that has been run at advanced prices the country over.

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"Sex Crushed to Earth" is the feature attraction at the Star theatre for next Tuesday and Wednesday. Louise Glaum is the star and J. Parker Reid Jr. is the producer. This is one of the most lavish and gorgeous productions that has ever played this city. Miss Glaum wears over $100,000 worth of gowns. The picture is in seven parts. The management is decorating the theatre for the occasion with cut flowers and plants. A special stage setting is being arranged and Mr. Irwin, of Irwin's Flower store, will make a gorgeous display of chrysanthemums. Mr. McShaffrey guarantees this to be one of the greatest pictures that has played this city for some time. It

TRULY IN BUSINESS FOR FUN

Lord Leverhulme, English Millionaire, Explains Why, at 80, He Will Not Quit the Game.

Lord Leverhulme recently told a good story to show why business men work as hard as they do. It is not for the money, he said, as much as for the sheer fun of it.

A man named Tyson, he said, went out to Australia in the early days. He now has sheep farms in Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia. He has millions of sheep and cattle, yet he lives as simply as one of his own stockmen.

He is now eighty years of age—hale and hearty. When he was asked why he worked so hard and lived like a workman he replied that it was not a matter of money at all.

"I love my sheep where there were no sheep," he said; "cattle where there were no cattle—horses where there were no horses; wire men where there were only black men before. That is the fun I get out of it."

Codfish and Education.

Has New England in these days of silk shirts and fur coats, become too proud and fastidious for honest and nutritious codfish balls? The sacred cod still swings aloft above the heads of our law-makers assembled in the general court. It is no mere symbol. It stands for the days of sturdy industry and frugal living on which New England prosperity was founded. "The low falsetto" is a puerile work of evasive genius illustrating the chasm of difference between fish and politics. I shall always remember food for the brains. If we have got into a foolish way of thinking of fish balls as the food of the paupers and are ashamed to confess ourselves from any the Salem News

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CHURCH NOTES

Sunday School at Snepler Mission Sunday afternoon at 3 oclock. Service in charge of John Hughes at 7:15

Christ Lutheran church, 221 McKee avenue, Rev. A. F. Schilling, pastor---Sunday School at 9:30 a. m No English service, no German service. Hallowe'en social by Luther League Oct. 27 Everybody welcome.

The Associated Bible Students meet every Sunday morning in Kelly's hall for Bible Study at 3 p. m. A speaker from Pittsburgh will give an address which all should hear. Come and bring your friends.

Trinity Episcopal church---Services for the first Sunday after Trinity: 8.00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 7:30 p. m., evening service and sermon. All are welcome. Rev. G. D Griffiths, rector.

First M. E. church, Schoonmaker avenue and Fourth street, Rev. John Bickford, D. D pastor---Sunday School at 9:30. Roger Richards, superintendent; morning wohrship at 10:45, Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League at 6:45 and evening service at 7:45. A cordial welcome is extended to all

First Christian church---Percy A. Davis, pastor---Bible school at 9:30 a. m., Frank Bowers, superintendent Preaching at 10:45 a. m., subject of sermon "The Finishing Touch. Christain Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Subject of sermon "A Secret Disciple." Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. on Wednesday.

Wayman A. M. E. church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Mr. A. A. Lucas, superintendent. Parents are advised to send their children on time and be present themselves Morning service at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock An invitation is extended to all persons who are interested in home and country.

United Presbyterian. Eighth street and Schoonmaker avenue, Rev. Wilson Reid pastor---Sabbath School at 10 a. m., Prof Clark McClelland, superintendent, classes to suit all ages. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30, subject "Lessons from Recent Events," leader, Ford Logan. Evening service at 7:30, praper meeting Wednesday at 7:30. These services are open to all and strangers will find a comfortable church home with our friendly people.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Eighth street and Donner avenue, Rev. Paul A. Weidley, pastor—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., preaching services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., with sermons by the pastor. Morning subject "The Importance of Religious Instruction in the Sunday School." Evening subject "The Importance of Religious Instruction in the Home." Luther League at 6:30 p. m., Harold Briggs, leader. Mid week devotional Bible Study Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

First United Brethern church—"The church on the Hill near your home; it's Homelike." Rev. A. C. Van Suan, pastor. Daniel Reamer, superintendent of Church School—Church school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening worsaip and sermon at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject at the morning hour, "Placing the Emphasis ight" The evening service will be a union service with the Christian Endeavor, subject "Lessone From Recent Events." Junior C. E. topic "Our Home Home Missionaries." The new officers of the Christian Endeavor society will have charge of the union service, beginning at 7:00 o'clock in the auditorium. Special music, practical discussions and installation of officers will be items of the program.

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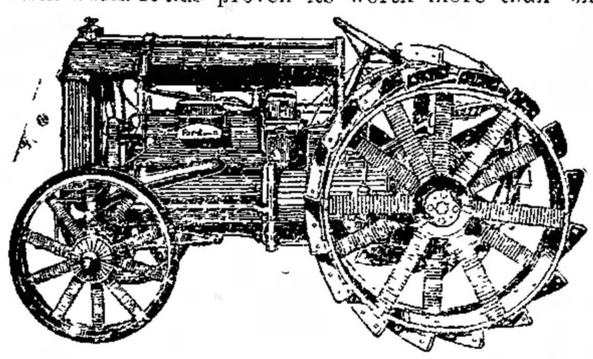

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Parliament first began to notice dogs in 1838, by passing a statute increasing "the resources of civilization" against the lawless doings of Irish curs.

Ten years later, dog fighting, bull baiting and bear baiting were prohibited by parliament. Between 1854 and 1882 no fewer than eight statutes were passed regulating the condition and social status of the dog, one of which placed him in a position of a taxpayer. In addition to these which applied throughout the United Kingdom—a special act was framed to curb the sheep-worrying propensities of dogs in Scotland.

Talked Like a Tailor.

The members of the choir were practicing the anthem "As the Hart Pants After the Water Brooks."

The rendering of the open stages was apparently not quite to the satisfaction of the gentleman who wielded the baton.

He considered it necessary, therefore, to tender some advice to the tenors and caused great consternation and not a little embarrassment among his flock by the following announcement:

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Hyndman peak is the only named mountain in Idaho that rises above 12,000 feet. It stands near the Blaine Custer county line and has a height of 12,078 feet. There are, however several unnamed peaks near Hyndman peak, whose elevations are greater than 12,000 feet, as shown by the contours on the Hailey topographic map, published by the United States geological survey.

A Stickler.

"They say Wombat is a man who is insistent about getting his money's worth."

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Notice

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. No. 219, August Term 1920.

Notice is hereby given that the report of the Auditors for the School District of Monessen Borough, Penna., for the year ending the first Monday of July, 1920, a statement of which is hereto annexed, was filed in my office, at Greensburg, Pa., on the 4th day of October, 1920, and that the said report will be confirmed absolutely unless an appeal is taken therefrom within thirty days after the filing there of.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 4th day of Oct., 1920.

W. DICK HUNTER, Prothonotary. (SEAL).

RECEIPTS

Ordinary Receipts

Taxes from Collector	$179,052.56
Taxes Lem Sales	262.05
Tuition to High School, Rostraver Township	1,933.00
Tuition to High School, Jefferson Township	108.00
Tuition to High School, Forward Township	153.00
Tuition to High School, Fayette City	1,014.00
Tuition to High School, Belle Vernon	216.00
Tuition to High School, North Belle Vernon	2,713.50
Tuition to High School, North Charleroi	18.00
Tuition to High School, Miscellaneous	2,091.75
Tuition to Night School	247.00
Fines, J. B. White, J. P.	27.50
State Appropriation, General	12,746.85
State Appropriation, Special	9,525.75
State Appropriation, High School	560.00
State Appropriation, Vocational	234.68
Refund from Institute Fund	368.50
Refund from Daily Independent	57.45
Refund from Keefer and McKenna	31.75
Refund from M. J. Tylavsky	10.80
Refund from P. & L. E. R. R.	1.68
Foreign Fire Insurance	42.26
Boiler Insurance	255.43
Borough Coupon Cashed	22.50
Material bought by Students	255.43
Sale of Books	50.00
Damaged Books	80.00
Rent of Auditorium	327.50
Rent of Real Estate	16.10
	$212.423.03

Extraordinary Receipts

Loans	10,000.00
Sale of Bonds	307,050.00
Grand Total	$529,473.03
Balance in hands of Treasurer, 1919	1,554.74
	$531,027.77

EXPENDITURES

Salaries and Wages	$167.541.36
School Supplies and Equipment	14,396.30
Operating Supplies and Expenses	7,701.24
Other Expenses	104,468.77

Extraordinary Expenses

Payment of Floating Indebtedness	55,000.00
Interest on Floating Indebtedness	1,283.33
Bond Issue Printing	316.60
Bond Issue Legal	597.10
Purchase of Real Estate	61,000.00
Grand Total of Expenditures	$412,324.70
Balance in hands of Treasurer, July 1, 1920	118,703.07
	$531,027.77
Balance distributed as follows	
On Checking Account	18,703.07
On Interest	100,000.00
	$118,703.07

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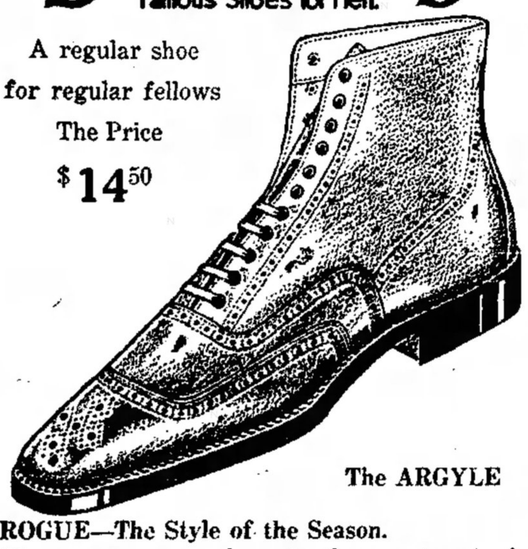

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If a Wish Could Make It So	Art Hickman's Orchestra
2978	
I'm In Heaven When I'm In My Mother's Arms	Henry Burr
There's a Vacant Chair at Home Sweet Home	Campbell - Burr
When The World Goes Back On You	Campbell - Burr
2986	
Somebody	Prince's Orchestra
Susan—Fox Trot	Prince's Orchestra
2976	
I Love The Land of Old Black Joe	Van and Schenck
So This Is Paris	Van and Schenck
2984	
You're The Only Girl That Made Me Cry	Burr
Drifting	Peerless Quartette
2988	
Macushla Asthore	Chauncy Olcott
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MONDAY—Will Rogers in **"CUPID THE COW PUNCHER."**

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—House Peters in the magnificent production, **"THE GREAT REDEEMER"** A tremendous masterpiece of the screen.

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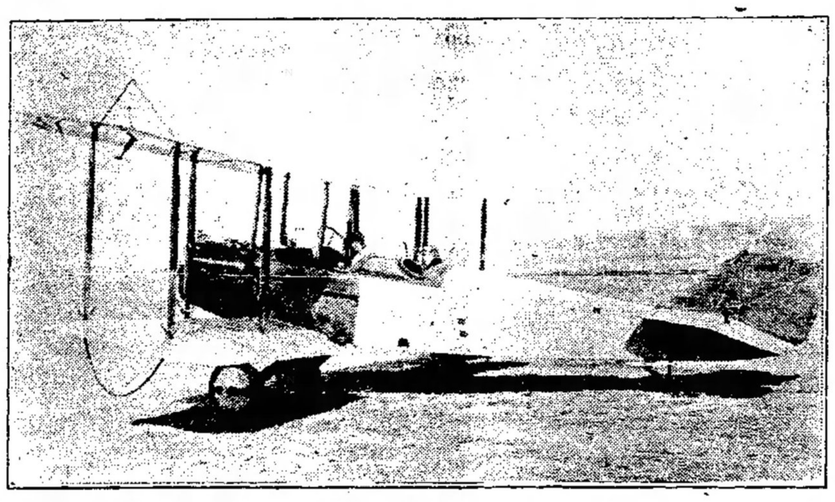

Approximately one hundred people from this and surrounding towns have availed themselves of the opportunity to take an air trip in the big plane of the Monessen Aeroplane company which is located at Lynn's grove. The aviation field has undergone numerous improvements this week and the aviator, David Ruse, is now able to carry two passengers at a time without the usual trouble in landing. Refreshment stands have been placed on the grounds to take care of the large crowds that gather there, especially on Sundays. Elmer Sasse of Belle Vernon, R. F. D. No. 1 will be entitled to a free ride in the plane, having been the holder of a lucky ticket.

Want Column

FOR SALE---Lot of household furniture; 210 Schoonmaker. 15-3tp

WANTED---Truck helpers; apply at once at Potter-McCune, Eighth and Donner. 15-3t

WANTED---Girl for general housework; appiy at Victoria hotel. 15-tf

WANTED---Woman to work by day; inquire 46 Sixth street, third floor front or phone 424-W. 15-tf

FOR RENT---One stall in garage; 467 Clarendon Ave. 14-4tp

WANTED---Two or three furnished light housekeeping rooms for couple without children. Address "G" care Daily Independent. 16-3tp

WANTED---Will pay children to bring burlap sacks to 804 Donner Donner avenue. 16-2tp

FOR RENT---2 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; 45 Aliquippa avenue. 16-3t

FOR RENT---Two or three unfurnished rooms; inquire C. L. Ross, Gibsonton. 17-3t

FOR RENT---Furnished front room for one or two gentlemen; inquire No. 40 Rostraver street. 17-tf

LOST---Pay envelope containing $55.00 on Schoonmaker avenue between Foundry and Third street at noon today. Finder will receive reward if returned to Charles Roach at Monessen Foundry and Machine Co., or to 482 Motheral avenue. 1t

FOR SALE---Gas range, refrigerator, bed room suit, leather chairs, sanitary couch and carpet. Enquire of Mrs. Minnie Smith, Jones building, Sixth and Donner after 6 o'clock. 17-3tp

Airplanes Carry Jewelry.

Watches and jewelry are to be transported to Paris by a newly established aerial service, and from Paris to London by the present commercial air line to avoid the trouble, some delays of the present rail service, says a correspondent writing from Geneva, Switzerland, in the Cincinnati Times-Star. A syndicate of the principal manufacturers has been formed at Chaux de Fonds, the seat of the industry, to handle the air shipments. It is expected ten days will be saved by this method and the cost will be slight, in proportion to the value of the freight. Air shipments were decided upon largely because of American buyers' insistence upon prompt delivery.

Rats Served Good Purpose.

Doctor Kane, the arctic explorer, said that among the worst curses in the far north were the rats that infested his ship. Nevertheless, when in want of other food, he was glad to eat them sometimes chopped up and frozen into yellow balls. He wrote: "During the long winter night Hans beguiled his hours of watch by shooting rats with bow and arrow. The repugnance of my companions to share with me this table luxury gave me frequent advantage of fresh meat soup, which contributed no doubt to my comparative [illegible]."

REPUBLICAN STRONGHOLD

Pittsburgh, October 22---The University of Pitsburgh is a Republican stronghold if its students vote on November second as they did in yesterday's straw ballot, taken under the auspices of the Student Senate, for Senator Harding received 932 out of 1154 votes cast on the campus. Governor Cox, although he has a strong support from many Pitt faculty members, got only 220 expreessions of confidence from the students, with Christensen, the Farmer-Labor candidate, poling twelve.

Perhaps the most striking feature of the ballot was that not a single Pitt man or woman voted for Debbs, the Socialistic candidate. With the vote of presidential candidates, the Senate also secured the preferences of the students on the League of Nations issue, and it is notable that there are twenty more votes cast on this question than on the presidential candidates themselves. Of the 1184 expressing their opinion on the League issue, only 252 favored it as drawn, with 176 voting for the League "with reservations." The remainder, 756, are opposed to the League of Nations.

Cold Weather Is Due

Better prepare for the Winter now while prices are low. We are showing a Special Lot of Ladies and Misses Sweaters, Scarfs and Heavy Undergarments that will prove a bargain to those who take advantage of this Sale.

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